

House Resolution 161

By: Representative Holt of the 112th

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring and remembering the life of Eve Marie Standard, assistant director of the Newton
2 County Board of Elections; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Eve Standard was born on St. Patrick's Day, 1951, to Charles and Lois Morris;
4 and

5 WHEREAS, she graduated from Newton County High School in 1969 before starting a
6 career in the insurance industry, as she gained employment at such prestigious companies as
7 Prudential and Manhattan Life in New York City and American Southern in Atlanta; and

8 WHEREAS, Eve resolved to become a full time homemaker in 1976 when she and her
9 husband, Danny H. Standard, were blessed with their first child, Isaac, who was followed by
10 his sister, Sarah, in 1985; and

11 WHEREAS, in 1990, she put her industriousness into the service of Newton County,
12 working part-time positions at the courthouse and then a full-time position at the Newton
13 County Voter Registration Office, where she became assistant director and was noted for her
14 highly efficient teamwork with Director Kathryn G. Allen; and

15 WHEREAS, she was admired for her unusual tenacity and her sensitivity to the details of
16 ballot procedure despite the elevated tension that is typical to election season, and she was
17 highly instrumental in the implementation of automated voting in Newton County and in
18 developing a training manual for the filing of election materials that was recognized and
19 adopted by the Secretary of State's office for use in all Georgia counties; and

20 WHEREAS, while in life she commanded the esteem of her fellow Georgians, in her death
21 we mingle our sympathies with the grief of her family, colleagues, and friends.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
2 the members of this body join together to express the deepest regret at the passing of Eve
3 Marie Standard, recognize her invaluable service to the State of Georgia, and extend their
4 most sincere condolences to her family.

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
6 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Eve Marie
7 Standard.